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NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the Explanation to section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 (26 of 1881) read with Notification No. 12/15/GD-JCA dated 24th April, 1995 of the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Government of India, the Governor of Sikkim is pleased to declare the holidays specified in the Schedule below to be the Public Holidays in the State of Sikkim during the year 2009.

SCHEDULE

Sl. No.	Name of Holiday (s)	Date (s)	Days of the Week	No. of day (s)
1.	New Year's Day	1st January	Thursday	1 day
2.	Republic Day	26th January	Monday	1 day
3.	Losar	25th February	Wednesday	1 day
4.	Holi	11th March	Wednesday	1 day
5.	Annual Closing of Bank Accounts	1St April	Wednesday	1 day
6.	Ramnawami (Chaite Dasain)	3rd April	Friday	1 day
7.	Good Friday	10th April	Friday	1 day
8.	Independence Day	15th August	Saturday	1 day
9.	Id-ul-Fitr	21st September	Monday	1 day
10.	Durga Puja	27th & 29th September	Sunday & Tuesday	2days
11.	Half Yearly Closing of Bank Accounts	30th September	Wednesday	1 day
12.	Gandhi Jayanti	2nd October	Friday	1 day

13.	Laxmi Puja	18th to 20th October	Sunday & Tuesday	2 days
14.	Lossong	17th December	Thursday	1 day
15.	Christmas	25th December	Friday	1 day

The above holidays shall not apply to the Subordinate Courts in the State of Sikkim.

BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR.

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CHIEF SECRETARY
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